LOCAL NEWS.

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY .- We are requested by the President of the Aiexandria Library Company to announce that the Library will be closed during the present week, in order to allow time for transferring the books and sheives to the new room in German's building. The work of removing the books and furnishing the hall has been entrusted to a committee com posed not only of live men, but men of great taste in such matters, and the very composi tion of the committee is a guarantee that the future home of the Library will be both neat and attractive. This work is being pushed for ward with vigor, and it is hoped that the hall will be ready by Monday, April 4th, when the Library will be reopened. Let all of our citizens, both male and female, who feel any inter est in the prosperity of this old institutionand all ought to feel an interest in it-visit the room and verity the above statement, and then, if they have not already done so, let them at once become stockholders. We are also requested to acknowledge the receipt at the Library of "the English and Foreign Trade Gaz-tte," from Liverpool, and of "the memorial addresses on William Pitt Fessenden," from Hon, Lewis McKenzie, our worthy represen tative in Congress. Again we urge apon our citizens the propriety of contributing to the Library such of their stock of novels and other light literature as they can spare. Any help on the Virginia side of the river suffered seriin this direction will be thankfully received. We are pleased to see that the Library will soon be on its feet again, and we trust our people will give it such support in the future as will enable it to mantain its position.

VIRGINIA PEAT COMPANY. -- The Secretary of the Commonwealth has received for record an act of incorporation granted by Judge Lysander Hill, of this Judicial Circuit, to the "Virginia Peat Company." The purpose of the company is the mining of peat in the Dismal Swamp in the county of Norfolk and manufacturing the same into fuel, or any other articles to which it may be adapted.

The capital stock of the company is to be not less than one hundred thousand dollars, nor more than two millions of dollars, divided into shares of fifty dollars each, and for the purpose of mining the company may hold one thousand acres of land. The chief place of business of the company will be in Norfolk, and the principal office in Alexandria.

The corporators of the company have elected the following parties officers for the first year : President, Gilbert S. Miner; Secretary, Clinton Lloyd; Directors-James B. Lyons, Fred erick R. Windsor, Ciinton Lloyd, Westel Willoughby, Gilbert S Miner and Charles Whit-

QUARTERLY COURT .- The commencement of the April or quarterly term of the County Court for this county is set for Monday next, the 4th proximo, with Presiding Justice Lewis McKenzie, and associate Justices Moore and S. B. Corbett, on the bench. On Friday last Justices J. L Dyson and W. L. Penn drew the following jurors to serve during the term: John Bladen, George Johnston, Thomas F. Murphy, William Mountjoy, Jacob Bailey, Albert Munsey, John Hyson, S. R. Johnston, John Gowings, William Allen, R. D. White, Charles Rudd, Frank Spinks, John R. Jackson, Stephen Collins, E. E. Morrison, James Bontz, W. S. Jenks, J. E. Douglass, John Clark, H. Elliott, F. W. Ashby, Robert Harrison, James McLean, Thomas Mills, Samuel Houston, William Dabie and Thomas Nalls. In addition to the regular jurors, two or three venires have been summoned to wy special

RAILROAD ACCIDENT .- The locomotive Harrisonburg, attached to a material train on the O., A. & M. R. R., exploded at eleven o'clock this morning, at a wood pile in Skinner's cut, between Fairfax and Burkes stations. and killed the engineer, William H. King, and severely but not seriously wounded, the conductor, James F. Peyton, and slightly scalded a track hand named Murphy. A train that went to the relief of the wreck, returned here at four o'clock with the killed and wounded.

INSTALLATION .- The following officers of Mount Vernon Circle No. 1, B. U. (H. F.) C. of A. were installed at Phoenix Hall on Saturday night last: C.W., W. F., Remington; C. J., Hugh Latham; C. F. Thomas Chauncey; H. S. K., G. W. Jones; H. T., R. Owings; H. R., J. H. Soper; W. D., J. Wells; W. N., Andrew Brent; H. H., W. T. Javens. Exalted Washington, W. W. Sherwood.

CHURCH SERVICES YESTERDAY. -The storm prevailing yesterday morning prevented a large attendance at the churches -the usual services, however, were held. At night also the threatening appearance of the weather deterred many from going out, but the congregations were much larger than in the morning. There was a baptising at the Baptist church at night.

FRESH FISH .- The arrivals of fresh fish at Fishtown continue to increase slowly as the season advances. A load from the shore at Eagle's Nest this morning sold at the following rates: Shad \$33 per hundred; herring \$22 per 1000; large rock from \$1.05 to \$1.75, bunch rock 28 cents; perch 13 to 16 cents, and catfish and mullets from 11 to 19 cents.

ODD FELLOWS .- The order of Odd Fellows in Washington are making great preparations for celebrating the fifty first anniversary of the Order, which occurs on the 26th of April next. The exercises on the occasion are expected to be very interesting.

New Music .- From the music store of Mr. V. Becker, No. 149 King street, we received this morning "Shew Fly," Just once more" and "A Little Bird told me so."

and yesterday was one of the severest ever experienced in this latitude. The sky clouded up Saturday evening, but the rain did not commence falling until about a quarter before twelve that night, at which time, also the wind, which had been blowing a stiff breeze from the northeast for some time freshened and contiqued to increase in violence until just before day light, when it reached the proportions of a gale, maintained them for some hours, and then gradually fell away, and about noon, when the rain ceased, changed its quarter, veering

around to the southwest. The rain and wind together made the tides in the Potomac unusually high, and the entire portion of the city east of Union street from Fishtown to the lower ship yard was submerged, the water invading the warehouses but doing no damage, as everything on the first floors had been removed in anticipation of the flood. Persons going to or coming from Washington had to be transported between the ferry boats and Union street in omnibusses, as the water was two feet deep at the lower end of King street. The restaurants near the ferry boats' whari were also flooded, but preparations had been made for the reception of the water. Some of the wharves were injured, including those at Fishtown, and the sloop Belvidere, Captain Johnson, lying at pier No. 5, was damaged considerably by being driven against that wharf. It is reported that the fishing shores

Newton's being stove to pieces, and those at Beasley's, Cawood's and Guy's badly damaged, in addition to the injuries inflicted upon the houses, capstans, &c. About twenty-five barrels of unslacked lime stored on the wharf of the steamer Columbia caught fire when the water reached them, and the flames were communicated to the shed which sheltered them, but the fire was discovered at once and extinguished. During the severity of the gale the tin roof of the residence of R. H. Miller, esq., on Washington street, was blown off, chimneys of the houses of Messrs. Edmond Lloyd, on Queen street, and Jefferson Tacey, on King street, and of St. Paul's Church vestry room, blown down, a large tree near the corner of Pitt and Queen street torn up, and the fence on Union street near Fishtown, and the fences

ous injuries, the seine boats at Ashton's and

in other parts of the city prostrated. The foundation of the house in progress of erection on Fairfax street, near the A., L. & H. R. R., was washed in, the north window of the theatre building was blown in, and the rain beat with such force that the roof of the Hydraulion engine house was penetrated, and the han! some ceiling of the engine room marred and disfigured. Hunting Creek bridge was also washed away. The steamer Columbia, due here from Baltimore yesterday evening, did not arrive until four o'clock this evening, hav-

... LOCAL BREVITIES. - The alarm of fire between seven and eight o'clock on Saturday night last, which brought out a portion of the fire department, was caused by the burning of a pile of brushwood near Four Mile run. A disturbance occurred among some boys near the corner of St. Asaph and Wolfe streets yesterday evening, but it was quieted before

ing been detained by the storm.

any of those engaged were hurt. Complaint has been lodged at the Mayor's office against certain green grocers for selling fresh fish, and the parties complained of have been informed that such sales are illegal, and that those making them will be punished ac-

cording to the ordinances of the corporation. Fast driving through the streets of the city is not allowed by law, and the police were on the look out yesterday evening for a young

man engaged in that sport. An attempt was made on Friday night last to set fire to the framed building in the rear of the cabinet warerooms of Mr. J.H. De Vaughn, on King street.

LAND SALE .- Messrs. Brawner & Co , Land Agents, of this city, sold on Saturd y last, the farm of Moses Brewer, esq , near Guilford depot, A., L. & H. R. R., containing 160 acres, and a portion of the stock. to John Bryden, esq., of Oneids county, N. Y., for \$6,500.

____ WASHINGTON NEWS .- Mr. Thornton, the British Minister, has called upon Senator Revels, and the latter is the recipient of numerous invitations to dinners and private parties. He is invited to dine with Mr. and Mrs. Fish. Report says Mr. Sumner has prevailed on Revels to spend the summer in Boston.

Among the literary ladies at present so journing in this city are Mrs. Spofford and Gail Hamilton. The latter is the guest of Speaker Blaine.

It is given out that we are to have a "season in the District, and it is to be free of turt' from "all taint" of jockeyism; that it is to be under the management of an association of a hundred citizens, who propose to lease the National Race course, beyond the Eastern Branch. It is stated that President Grant has agreed to subscribe to the fund necessary to

carry out the project. Madame Catacazy, wife of the Russian Minster, when she goes to church is accompanied to the door of her pew by an elegantly gotten up lackey, Learing her prayer book and ermine

cleak. Joe Jefferson has been before the Library Committee of Congress, arguing in favor of an international copyright law.

An unfortunate man named Thomas Coyle, was found dead on the top of Dowling's limekiln, Rock creek, early on Saturday morning. He was a native of Georgetown.

Intelligence from Nausau, March 12th, states that the steamer Salvador was seized by the English authorities for breach of the passenger act. The vessel was condemned and sold, and bought by the authorities for £100.

1. O. O. F.-The members of Potemac Lodge. No. 38, are hereby notified to attend a called meeting to-night, March 28th, to make arrangements for the funeral of Bro WM. King.

By order of mb 28-1t WM. GIBSON, N. C. By L D. Harrison, Auctioneer A UOTION SALE OF FURNITURE

Police Report—Mayor's Office.—There were no cases of a criminal character at the Mayor's office this morning.

At my residence, No. 61 Prince street, on FRIDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock, I will offer for sale my HOUSEHOLD and KITCHcolored, committed to jail last week for stealing the iron fastoings from a wagon belonging to Mr. John Slater, was reexamined and discharged.

WATCH REPORT.—Night dark and cloudy. EN FURNITURE, consisting of Sets, Ma-

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There were fewer people on the streets than usual even on bad nights. There were no usual even on bad nights. The finder will receive \$1 to 12 to 100 Prince and Fairful to 12 disturbances, no arrests, and no lodgers at the reward by leaving it at the Gas House.

watch house.

THE STORM. -The storm of Saturday night TELEGRAPH NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 28-3 p. m.

CONGRESS. In the Senate Mr. Johnston presented a number of memorials from Virginians, praying

or the removal of their disabilities. There was some discussion by Messrs. Daake, Trumbull and Thurman upon an enquiry by Mr. Prake concerning the delay in a report upon the Texas admission bill by the Judiciary

Committee. In the House of Representatives Mr. Mc-Kenzie presented a bill in relation to granting public lands to the Trans Continental Railroad, which it is proposed to run to the Pacific by way of El Paso.

Polygamy.

SALT LAKE, March 28.-A large meeting of merchants and professional men was held last night to prepare a memorial to the United States Senate praying for the expurgation of those sections of Mr. Cullom's bill which punish by fine and imprisoment a continuance of patri-

archal family relations. Numerous speakers argued that a liberal policy towards the offenders of the past would be of advantage to the Government of the whole country, and that such action would arrest polygamy in the luture. Messrs. Robertson, Hupey, Kalim, Walker and Hillister, non-Mormons, were appointed a committee to draft memorials, and telegraph to the President of the Senate. The interest on this subject is intense.

If the Senate passes the House bill in its present shape, it is asserted that the Territory will become a desolation.

Judge of the 11th Circuit.

RICHMOND, March 28.-James Keith, Fanguier, was to day elected Judge of the 11th, Alexandria, Circuit. The vote in caucus was Keith 50, Thomas 43.

Heavy Taxes.

St. Louis, March 28.-President Grant pays taxes on one hundred and ten thousand dollars, and General Sherman on \$23,500, in this county.

The Markets.

New York, March 28.—Stocks dull. Money easy at 5a6 per cent. Gold 114. Virginia 6s, ex-coupon, 681; new 69. North Carolinas, old, 46, new 221. Wheat steady. Corn 1c better. BALTIMORE, March 28 .- Virginia sixes, old

56 bid, 562 asked; do 1867 59 bid, 61 asked.— Cotton firm at 224. Flour dull and weak. Wheat stendy; Pennsylvania 128a130; Maryland 135a 145 Corn active; yellow 95; white 94x95.— Oats dull at 55. Rye 100.

NEW STYLES.

BONNETS, HATS, FLOWERS,

and FRAMES,

Just received at Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON'S, No. 125 King street.

OSIAH H. D. SMOOT, [Formerly of and successor to Smoot, Uh er & Company.] LUMBER DEALER. No. 21 Union st.,

(Between King and Cameron,) Alexandria, Va. EWIS' PURE WHITE LEAD; also, gen I uine English White Lead, Phenix ditto Snow White Zinc, Colors of all kinds, Linseed Oil, Boiled ditto, Spirits Turpentine, Paint Brushes, Glaziers' Diamonds, Artists' Brushes and Tube Paints. A full stock on hand and

for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. mh 15 BARGAINS.

We have just finished taking an inventory, and find in our stock a lot of old goods that must be sold. We will run them off at auction prices. ROBT. L. WOOD. feb 4

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the estate of the late JAMES T. CLOSE are hereby notified to present the same for payment, and all debtors to the said estate will take notice that they must settle the amounts due by them respectively.
mh 25-law4w A. E. S. CLOSE, Executrix.

HORSES FOR SALE.

Three fine DRAUGHT HORSES may be seen at Catts' Hotel, West End. For information enquire at the hotel, or at ENOCH GRIMES'.

46 King street.

mh 26 B. F BRUNER

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All kinds of lumber constantly on hand and old at the lowest market rates. Fronting on Union and Duke sts., Jaz. Green & Son's and stand

DWELLING HOUSE FOR RENT .-The two-story DWELLING HOUSE, on the southeast corner of Prince and Royal sts., lately occupied by Col. G. W. Brent. Water and gas. Apply to mh 25-tf JAMES FADELEY.

WINE SALT. 600 sacks Evans' Fine Salt daily expected per schr Mary Comegys-for sale low from ves-

HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO feb 12 BEST AND CHEAPEST FEED FOR COWS, &c.
FRESH GRAINS every day at
PORTNER'S BREWERY,

On Washington street. HISKIES-Thompson s pure old Rye and

other grades of Whiskey; also, Port and Sherry Wine, for sale by GOULD & WILKENING, No. 30 North Royal st.

M ISHLER'S HERB BITTERS, for Dyspep-Indigestion, for sale by mh 14 WARFIELD & HALL. PISH-Prime Cod and Hake Fish, Potomac and Labrador Herring, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, at FRED. RECKER'S,

146 King street. feb 26 I HAVE received this day one box of fresh COUNTRY PRINT BUTTER. Call and cxamine at WM. F. BROOKES,

106 Prince street. mh 19 DURE WINES and LIQUORS, for medicinal purposes, for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON,

:26 King st cor. Alfred. A RROW ROOT and Mushroom Crackers just received by WM. RAMSAY,

FRESH LOT OF ORANGES and LEM-A ONS just in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, 106 Prince street.

PLAG'S INSTANT RELIEF For sala at COOK & CREIGHTON'S, 107 King street.

NANNED PEACHES, Quinces, Tomatoes, Winslow's Green Corn, Lobsters; also, ardines and Condensed Milk, for sale by J. CLINTON MILBURN. HAMS, Shoulders, Middlings, Breast Pieces and Dried Beef in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES,

106 Prince street. MUSH ROOM CATSUP and ANCHOVY SAUCE, put up by Crosse & Blackwell. For sale by G. WM. RAMSAY,

received at

CITY ITEMS.

9. DEALHAM, 91 King street, is now selling his CLOTHING and GENTS' FURNISH-1NG GOODS at prices ring before the war. Call early and secure your bargains. mh 25

S. BLONDHEIM. CORNER KING & FAIRFAX STREETS, Owing to the lateness of the season, is offering RARE INDUCEMENTS.

His stock is very large, and will out at remarkably low rates. NOTICE.—We have on hand a large stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES, and in order

to reduce our stock, will sell at greatly reduced prices. All in want will do well to call at 74 W. B. WADDEY.

BOOTS & SHOES.

BOOTS AND SHOES. SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE.

1870.W. B. WADDEY, 74......74

ALEXANDRIA, VA. The subscriber has just received, and having bought at gold rates, can afford to sell at prices to suit the times, one of the largest, most varied and best assorted stocks of Ladies', Gentle-men's, Misses' and Children's Boots and Shoes ever before offered for sale in this market. His long experience in the trade has enabled him to procure a stock manufactured from the best material, and in a desirable and stylish manner, and on the most favourable terms; and, with advantages in his favor, he can afford to sell as cheap as the cheapest. A large stock of HEAT GOODS, suitable for the country, to which he invites the special attention of country merchants. All in want will do well to call at 74

W. B. WADDEY. mh 24-4m DIRECT IMPORTATION.

LIVERPOOL SALT.

We offer for sale, to arrive, cargo of ship "Hermanos," consisting of 15 000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT,

1,000 sacks FINE SALT, factory filled, "Runcorn" brand, equal to Marshall's. Also per brig "Three Sisters."

9,000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT, in held. in bulk.

1,000 sacks FINE SALT of the popular brand "Stoved."
We will fill this Salt 10 or 12 to the ton. as parties may desire, or sell in bulk at lowest market rates from vessel.
HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

WE HAVE ALSO NOW IN STORE A VV full supply of LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT.

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1eb 21-tf HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO. BAUGH'S RAW BONE PHOSPHATE.

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Phosphate, has been thoroughly tested during the past fifteen years, and is recommended with confidence to farmers and gardeners as being cqual to any Manure in the manure of the crop grower and fertilizer.

I am prepared to fill all orders from a bag upwards. Price \$54 per 2000 lbs.

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Agent for Alexandria mh 17

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200 sacks Jeffrey & Darcey's. 17.
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Suits furnished, trimmed and made in the best style, at low rates.
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mh 22-1w General Freight Agent. mh 22-1 w

NEW GOODS. Calicoes, Cottons, Bleached and Unbleached.

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BECK, KNOX & KERBY. Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 97 King street. mh 24-eo2w UMP PLASTER! LUMP PLASTER

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Responsibilities of the Liver. The liver has a very important part to perform in the animal economy. Its function is two fold. The fluid which it secretes tempers the blood and regulates the bowels, and upon the plood and regulates the bowels, and upon the quantity and quality of the secretion de-pends, in a great degree, the adaptation of the blood to the requirements of the system and the due removal of the refuse matter which remains in the intestines after the work of digestion has

been accomplished. One of the principal uses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is to tone and control this somewhat unruly organ. The antibilions properties of the preparation are scarcely secondary to its virtues as a stomachic. Its operation upon the liver is not violent like that of mercury, but gradual and gentle. Instead of creating a sudien tumult in that sensitive gland, it regulates its action by degrees. Hence, it is a safe remedy for bilious disorders, while mercury, being a tremendous excitant, is not. The more naturally and quietly a diseased organ can be restored to its normal condition the better, and it is the peculiar property of this harmless vegetable alterative to reinforce and regulate with-

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Persons of a bilious habit who take it habitually as a protection against the attacks to which they are constitutionally liable, pronounce it the best liver tonic in existence. The symptoms of an approaching fit of biliousness can hardly be mistaken. A pain in the right side or under the shoulder blades, a saffrontinge in the whites of the eyes, sick headache, a feeling of drowsiness, low spirits, loss of appetite, constipation and general debility are among the usual indications of a morbid condition of the liver, and as soon as they appear the Bitters should be resorted to in order to ward off more serious con-

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Lead Pencil.
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BONE DUST, GROUND PLASTER, &c.

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UST PURCHASED AND FOR SALE-100 cords of that SPLENDID OAK WOOD, of Beil & Baker. Everybody knows that it is

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Just opened my first supply of Spring Kid Gloves, all numbers, from 54 to 2, mh 14 C. C. BERRY, 72 King st ZENNEDY'S MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

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